

#### FIVE GENERATIONS MEMBERS

Thomas W. Campbell, of Lexington, who has recently affiliated with Dougherty Lodge No. 65 F. & A. M., of Carlisle, is a descendant of a long line of ancestors who were members of this lodge.

Governor Thomas Metcalfe, whose grandson, Thomas M. Campbell, was the grandfather of Mr. Campbell, was a charter member of the Carlisle lodge and helped to organize it in 1820. Since then the sons of the succeeding generations have become affiliated with the Carlisle lodge until five in all have become members. There has never been a time since the founding of the chapter when there was not a member of this family actively associated with this lodge.

Shortly after the founding of the chapter, Mr. Metcalfe became governor of Kentucky, in 1828. At that time the governor's mansion stood at the intersection of the Carlisle and Maysville and Lexington pikes in Nicholas county. This place was known as the "Forest Retreate" and it was here that the stage coaches of those days changed horses.

The Campbell chain of ancestors as members of the order began with the affiliation of John Preston Campbell, who married a daughter of Governor Metcalfe. Mr. Campbell has in his possession a Masonic emblem made by his grandfather, Captain Thomas H. Campbell, while he was in prison during the Civil War, Captain Campbell, who was a soldier in the Confederate Army, was being held a prisoner by the Union forces on Johnson Island under a court martial of death. According to the family history, it was at this time that he disigned the emblem from a piece of hard rubber and a ten cent piece.

When the day came for his execution and he was brought before the firing squad it is related that he presented the pin to the Union officer in charge who happened to be a Mason, and his execution was postponed. Later by the aid of this officer he escaped and returned to the Confederate Army.

Mr. Campbell, the latest to become a member of the Carlisle chapter, joined the Masonic lodge in Jamalpur, Behar, India, in 1915. This branch is known as the lodge of St. George in the East, and was organized under the English constitution. At the beginning of the war in 1917, Mr. Campbell returned to the United States and entered the American diplomatic service, and was sent to Colombo, Ceylon, as American vice consul.

### "AS FINE A BODY OF MEN AS EVER FOUGHT

Year by year the rapidly dwind ling army that followed Gen. John Morgan in the war between the States has met at some convenient spot within Kentucky to fight anew the old battles around the camp fires and to swap experiences of the days that had intervened since that gallant warrior fell on the battlefield at Greenville, Tenn., in 1864. One may be sure that the stories of how the rebel chief kept back an entire Union army when he made his dash through the border of Indiana and Ohio did not lack any details in the later telling.

For many years these reunions of Morgan's Men were gala events, attracting thousands of visitors. But time has thinned out the ranks until only a mere handful gathered at Lexington to greet each other for perhaps the last time, and to call the muster roll of the regiment, to which few will answer present.

"Morgan's Men" will soon become a memory only, but it will be a pleasant memory of as fine a body of men as ever fought for what they deemed right.

The Stork's Mistake. mother," said a little girl excitedly, "there's a new baby over at Mrs. Brown's; but don't you think the stork meant it for Miss Jones, who oards there? 'Cause Mrs. Brown has four children already and Miss Jones hasn't got a single one."—Boston

# U.S. FILM SHOWS DANGERS TO ELK

Campaign to Save Majestic Member of Deer Family From Fate of the Buffalo.

### STARVATION GREATEST FOE

Adequate Winter Grazing Grounds Are Absolute Necessity-Winter Snows Drive Herds Into Forests Where Poachers Get Them.

Washington.—The question whether the elk-a noble American animal and the most majestic of the deer family-is to follow the buffalo into near-extinction is asked in film form in a new United States Department of Agriculture motion picture, "When Elk Come Down."

Up in the highlands of Yellowstone National park dwell the remaining big herds of this animal. In the park is an abundance of feed in the summer snows sweep down on the Rockies, the elk are forced from the mountains tax money. and out of the park, to the lower department, is responsible for the new

#### To Protect the Elk.

The film story opens when a big snow is due. From a ranger station, forest rangers and a state game ward-



Most Majestic of Deer Family.

will be easy to trail and kill when election. they are handicapped by snow and hunger. The adventures of the three elements in the triangle are then foe, can be permanently thwarted experience of over three decades. only by the provision of adequate winter grazing grounds.

The available winter range in the national forests is far too limited in area to support the great bands that migrate from the Yellowstone park. The greater part of the winter feeding grounds is, also, not within the nation-

### Cold Photography.

tographed last February in the Absaroka national forest, Montana. The of the animals were obtained by the long lost time piece was found. use of telephoto lenses.

The picture, two reels in length, will be distributed and exhibited largely through the co-operation of organizations interested in perpetuating the elk and other game animals. Prints may be borrowed from the department, or may be bought at the manufacturing cost by authorized institutions.

Crow Rides With Mallman.

Norwich, N. Y .- John Cheehy, rural mall carrier, has a pet crow named Jim, which rides with him on his mail route. The crow has never offered to fly away and may be seen every day riding with Sheehy in the latter's auto- service.

nest and is about two months old.

Two Men First to Climb Mt. Victoria. Lake Louise, Alberta.-Val A. Flynn of St. Louis, noted amateur mountain climber, and Rudolph Aemer, Swiss guide, succeeded in climbing the face of Mount Victoria in the Selkirk range, 11,600 feet. This is the first time this feat has been performed. Flynn has tried it three times before.

#### SPIRIT OF CO-OPERATION AMONG KENTUCKIANS

Nothing has been more marked in Kentucky in the last twenty years than the growing spirit of co-operation among the business men in the smaller cities and towns and this has aided largely in the development and progress of the State. Now every little town has a Chamber of Commerce, a Board of Trade, a Commercial Club or a Business Men's Association and many of them keep a secretary on the job all the time boosting the town and attracting additional enterprises.

Before this spirit of co-operation came the small town business man had little in common and every tub stood on its own bottom. Usually it was the case than that if one merchant suggested something for the improvement of the town that the other knocked it. Organization of a commercial body furnished the vehicle for a better understanding and an interchange of ideas that has been helpful all around and improved the town.

These business associations in many cases have obtained the adjustment of discriminating freight rates and the furnishing of better where they are well protected there service by public utility corporations. Also they have made for bettime. But in the winter, when the big ter municipal government and a more economical expenditure of the

Kentucky towns have found that levels where there is less snow. In there is nothing that will boost a this annual migration many of the elk town more than a live commercial pass into the national forests which organization. It is the "pep" that entirely surround the park. Thus has put many of these towns on the they become a source of concern to business map. It took a long time the forest service, which, in co-opera- for them to get it but the Kentucky tion with the Montana state game small town business men have learned the lesson typified in the motto of their State.

### KNOW HOW TO VOTE?

While apparently in nowise intrisame number of voters have disfranchised themselves through ignorance of how to vote the ballot properly.

ballots are cast by the illiterate, but sion. as a rule this is not true as the un-

perfectly blank and without the other States. semblance of any mark upon it he Strange as it may appear the antidid not know how to vote and would the people were able to read and have resented any offer to aid him in write. On one occasion, Mrs. Stewler, a notorious poacher, also senses marking the ballot. Not knowing art, while on a trip to a remote secthe coming of "elk weather," and he how to vote, but in order to save his tion was bluntly informed that they and a companion leave their cabin for face this class of voter casts a blank "didn't want any iliteratin'" around the open ranges, knowing that the elk ballot and does it election after

grief and by disdaining any help ple who needed it most.

### WATCH LOST FIFTEEN MONTHS IS FOUND

Fifteen months exposed to wind and weather, a gold watch lost in June, 1921, in Lexington, was found al forests but under private owner. Saturday by J. M. Barker, 43 Clifship. The solution of the elk prob- ton avenue. Plowing in the garden lem, it is said, lies in the purchase of a neighbor, Mr. Barker lost his of these private lands either by the timepiece when it was flicked from government or by popular subscrip- his pocket by a low-hanging fruit tree branch. He spent hours in "When Elk Come Down," was phosearch.

Saturday, while smoking a cigacamera work was done with the ther- rette, Mr. Barker carelessly flicked mometer twenty and thirty degrees a match into some dry grass which below zero. There are many scenes became ignited and burned a conin which the elk appear on the snow- siderable area before being extincovered mountains. Good "close-ups" guished. At the foot of the tree the

> Although the leather fob had nearly rotten away, the watch ran merrily when wound.

### ARE BARBERS BETTER?

For some years barber shops in Kentucky were under State supervision. Barbers were required to stand an examination before the State Board of Barber Examiners appointed by the Governor and the shops were obliged to comply with fixed regulations of sanitation and

Often the crow is perched on Sheehy's shoulder when he goes to the post office to make up his mail for delivery. The crow was taken out of a livery. The crow was taken out of a livery aminers and what they regarded as After being in operation for sevan unwarranted meddling with their business. The law had one good effect in that it brought the barber shops up to a certain standard that since have been maintained or improved upon through competition for the public patronage.

Street begging is greatly on the



#### THE FIGHT ON ILLITERACY

Kentucky made some headway in en start out to protect the elk from cate the secret ballot system of vot-"tooth hunters." Up in the mountains ing which has been operative in the eradication of illiteracy during "Six Prong," a great bull elk, sniffs Kentucky for over thirty years the fact that the State went up a the coming snow and starts to lead his seems not to be understood by many few notches in the ascending scale clan to the lower country. Sam Bil- people. At every election and in of education in a measure must be practically every precinct in the credited to the anti-illiteracy move-State numbers of ballots are re- ment started ten years ago. The jected and uncounted because of fa- fight on illiteracy, however, was altal defects and this means that the lowed to lag when the Legislature two years ago failed to make an appropriation to continue the work of It might be surmised that such the Kentucky Illiteracy Commis-

> lettered voter usually votes the such a field for a crusade against ilstraight ticket and stamps his bal- literacy, Kentucky should have furlot under the party device. In most nished the idea that has become the cases it is the voter who should standard in the war on ignorance. now better that hands in the bal- This was the "Moonlight School" lots that must be thrown out at idea originated by Mrs. Cora Wilson Whenever the experienced elec- Setwart, of Morehead, a dozen years tion officer finds a ballot in the box ago and since adopted by many

knows that it was put there by a illiteracy movement was combated voter of ordinary intelligence that in some sections where but few of there. Like other welfare move-The "scratcher" often comes to ments it was opposed by some peo-

often turns in a spoiled ballot. It That it is a difficult matter to shown, up to the trailing and killing very often occurs, too, that he votes overcome the prejudices of the ignoof an elk by Biller and Biller's arrest for the very candidate he intended rant, aptly is illustrated by a story by the rangers. The story ends with to vote against. All of this comes in which the late Governor Leslie the statement that the elk can be from ignorance of the forms of a figured. He was then a candidate protected from poachers, but that star- system that it would seem ought to for State Senator and was opposed vation, the animals' other dangerous be fairly well understood after an by another, who proved a better demagogue. The latter started the report in a densely ignorant section of the district, that if Leslie was elected he intended to pass a law making the teaching of grammar compulsory in the public schools.

This was too much for the ignorant voters and they administered a stinging rebuke by voting to a man against Mr. Leslie.

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